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To the Assistant Commissioner for Patents:

 Transmitted herewith for filing is a ☐ continuation ☒ divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53 (b), of pending prior application

 Serial No. 09/683,148

 filed on 11/27/01
Marc Schaepkens

(Inventor)

 For APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR DEPOSITING LARGE AREA COATINGS ON NON-PLANAR SURFACES

(Title of Invention)

ENCLOSED ARE:

- ☒ Specification having 28 total pages.
- ☒ 7 sheets of ☒ formal ☐ informal drawings.
- ☒ Declaration ☒ copy from prior application.
☐ newly executed (if additional inventor(s) under 37 CFR 1.63(d) (5).
- ☒ Preliminary Amendment.
- ☐ Signed statement deleting inventor(s) named in prior application under 37 CFR 1.63 (d) (2).
- ☐ The power of attorney or correspondence address was was changed during prosecution of the prior application.
 A copy of the new power of attorney or correspondence address is submitted herewith under 37 CFR 1.63 (d) (4).
- ☒ Other Information Disclosure Statement

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9. ☒ The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge all fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-0868.
10. ☒ Cancel in this application original claims 1-34 of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claim must be retained for filing purposes.)
11. ☒ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: This application is a ☐ continuation ☒ division of application Serial No. 09/683,148, filed 11/27/01, which is hereby incorporated by reference in its entirety.
12. ☐ Priority of application Serial No. _____ filed on _____ in _____ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119. (country)
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